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10 injured in gang shooting

Six men and three women were treated for gunshot wounds ◗ Two of them are in critical condition ◗ A 10th victim is refusing treatment ◗ Mayor Gregor Robertson says he heard the gunshots from his house

JENNIFER GAUTHIER/FOR METRO

▶ Police guard the scene of a massive shooting near West 22nd and Oak streets yesterday morning.

At least five people are in custody after 10 people were shot in what police are calling a gang-related shooting near Oak and West 22nd streets early yesterday.

Vancouver police Const. Jana McGuinness said some victims were found on the street nearby, while others showed up at area hospitals.

Ann Oxendale, who lives nearby, said she heard a dozen popping noises — which she recognized as gunshots — followed by a woman's scream.

"I never expected (gun violence) here," she said. "I guess it can happen anywhere." ● KRISTEN THOMPSON

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Activists crying foul over turkey

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Hospitals must soon report gunshots, stabbings

The province has announced new legislation that will require hospitals and clinics to report all gunshot wounds and most stab wounds to police.

The law will come into effect on Feb. 1, 2011, said Solicitor General Rich Coleman.

"Often in cases of gunshots and stab wounds, a timely reaction by police is critical to preventing further violence ... or injury," Coleman said.

The law is part of the province's seven-point plan to combat gun and gang violence.

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▶ A relative holds a picture of Manjit Panghali.

Panghali trial ends

The trial of Surrey teacher Mukhtiar Panghali, who is accused of murdering his pregnant wife, has wrapped up in a New Westminster court.

Passersby found the burned body of Manjit Panghali in Delta in 2006, five days after she disappeared en route to a yoga class.

A verdict is expected on Jan. 14. KRISTEN THOMPSON

Canucks. Honour

▶ Markus Naslund watches his No. 19 rise to the rafters during a ceremony Saturday night.

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Naslund's 19 rises to rafters

Former Canucks captain Markus Naslund joined Stan Smyl and Trevor Linden as the third player in franchise history to receive the team's highest honour. Naslund was joined by his parents, wife and children during the ceremony broadcast on CBC's Hockey Night in Canada. Former teammates Dan Cloutier, Brendan Morrison and Mattias Ohlund also took part.

Reporting race responsibly

Motion asks council to support community groups engaged in anti-discrimination projects and ones calling for apology from MacLean's

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Two Vancouver councillors are bringing a motion to council asking the city to support and encourage ethical journalistic standards in reporting on race and ethnicity.

The motion, which comes to council tomorrow via councillors Kerry Jang and Raymond Louie, is in response to a MacLean's article published last month, which asks if Canadian universities are "too Asian."

"We want to make sure we have a city where we can talk about (race and ethnicity) in a safe, accurate way," Jang said, adding that the MacLean's article was one-sided and perpetuated stereotypes.

"The media plays a big role in ethical and race relations across the country. It's important we create standards by which (media reports)."

Jang said the motion reaffirms work the city is already doing on anti-discrimination projects.

"It sends a message across the country that we expect a better discussion."

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The controversial MacLean's article ran in this November 2010 edition.

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Guidy Mamann offers advice for Canadians sponsoring out-of-status spouses for permanent residence. More at metronews.ca/immigration

News in brief

Blaze rages in Surrey

FIRE. One person was hospitalized and dozens were left homeless after a fire broke out at a Surrey apartment building yesterday.

KIMIYA SHOKOOHI

Police make drug arrests

CRIME. Abbotsford police have arrested four alleged gang members, disrupting a drug network and solving a violent home invasion from November. The men are alleged former members of the Duhre group. JENNIFER GAUTHIER

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Animal groups look to help holiday turkeys

SPCA labels on frozen turkeys would attest to bird's quality of life

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Before shopping for their holiday dinner, Vancouverites should be aware of the farmhouse cruelty that often accompanies turkey production, say local activists.

"Christmas is a time of year that really highlights the culture of consumerism that our society has embraced," said Glen Gaetz of Liberation B.C., a Vancouver-based animal rights group.

"Unfortunately, animals are bearing the brunt of it."

While vegetarian activists have long characterized the poultry industry as being particularly cruel, commercial turkey production has become especially controversial in recent years due to the practice of "electroejaculation," whereby turkeys who have become too fat-breasted to breed naturally must be inseminated through mechanical means.

In response, for the first time ever, the B.C. SPCA is offering certification to supermarket turkeys raised under more "humane" living conditions. Any commercially sold bird bearing the SPCA label will have spent the majority of its life in a natural environment meeting the health, space and cleanliness standards of a third-party animal-welfare inspector.

But other activists would like to see the entire turkey tradition scrapped altogether.

"Ultimately, the most effective way to help an animal is by not eating them," said Debra Probert, executive director of the Vancouver Humane Society.

Her organization encourages Vancouverites to consider vegetarian options for their holiday meals.

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▶ Frozen turkeys like these could soon be certified by the B.C. SPCA.

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Charity scams hurt the taxman

Charitable donation tax-receipt system open to abuse: CRA docs
Preparation fraud widespread

The Canada Revenue Agency is considering big changes to the way charities issue donation receipts after internal probes found widespread scamming, newly disclosed documents show.

Standard paper receipts now issued by charities are too easily faked, forged or finessed, cheating the federal treasury out of millions in taxes.

So some agency officials are proposing tougher rules requiring charities to electronically track and account for their receipts, to help the taxman flush out fraudsters.

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Receipt revamp

The current receipt system is described as a "weakness."

- A spokesman for the agency declined to provide details of any changes being considered.
- One issue facing the agency is that many charities are small and poorly staffed, making an electronic filing regime a daunting prospect, says the internal paper.
- The agency said that 85 tax-preparer cases are currently being investigated, 31 of them involving alleged charity fraud.

Winter. Waves

▶ Blake Meisinger, 14, of Shorewood, Wis., takes advantage of the gusting winds and large waves on Lake Michigan yesterday, in Milwaukee, Wis.

KRISTYNA WENTZ-GRAFF/MILWAUKEE JOURNAL-SENTINEL/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Winter weather pounds U.S. Midwest

A powerful winter storm roared across the upper Midwest yesterday with high winds and mounds of snow closing roads in several states and cancelling more than 1,400 flights in Chicago. The system dumped nearly 60 centimetres of snow in parts of Minnesota and caused the Metrodome's inflatable, Teflon roof to collapse.

Swedes horrified by suicide bombing

No one died except the suspected bomber, but two explosions in Sweden's capital tore at the fabric of this tolerant and open nation — a society that hadn't seen a terrorist attack in more than three decades.

Two people were wounded in central Stockholm on Saturday in what appeared to be the first suicide bombing in the history of Sweden, which has been spared the major terrorist strikes seen in other European countries.

A car exploded in the middle of the seasonal shopping frenzy, shooting flames and causing several smaller blasts as people ran screaming from the scene.

The blast that killed the alleged bomber came moments later, a few blocks away on a busy pedestrian street.

Experts said the alleged bomber probably didn't succeed in detonating all the explosives and could have caused much greater damage. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Sudan investigates flogging

Sudan's judiciary opened an investigation into a video of a woman being flogged that has been widely circulated on the Internet, the state news agency reported yesterday.

The video shows a woman in a voluminous cloak on her knees screaming and pleading with blue-uniformed policemen, identified as Sudanese, who take turns whipping her. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

40 In 2009, Sudanese journalist Lubna Hussein was sentenced to 40 lashes under the country's controversial indecency law for appearing in public wearing trousers.

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PAUL SULLIVAN

Does it ever seem that sometimes "they" go out of their way to make us crazy?

What other explanation can there be for the ridiculous salaries at B.C. Ferries? CEO David Hahn makes almost one million bucks a year, and when challenged, issues the following brain-exploding explanation: "I think people have to decide if they want the old, dilapidated ferry system or if they want what they have today."

No, Dave, that's not the choice. We want a good, reliable ferry service without getting held for ransom by its CEO and employees, four who make more than $400,000 a year, four dozen more who make $137,000 to $200,000, and 1,000 who make more than $75,000!

It's a wonder the boats don't sink with all those B.C. Ferries employees riding back and forth — for free — their pockets stuffed with taxpayer gold.

Clearly, when the alternative is to swim across the Strait of Georgia, Hahn and company have us over a life preserver and can get away with waterway robbery, but does he have to be so smug and sanctimonious about it?

I bet Hahn and his nest-feathering friends have never experienced a three-sailing wait, have never been forced to take a slow boat to the Gulf Islands because the more direct route is always fully booked, have never had the gate slammed in their faces before the last sailing of the night even though the boat is still loading.

"No, Dave, that's not the choice. We want a good, reliable ferry service without getting held for ransom by its CEO and employees ..."

For that we pay this guy a million bucks a year? I'm still trying to figure out how he earns $233,000 in bonuses. Bonus for what? For making sure there's inevitably a mechanical failure on a long weekend? For figuring out we will all pay an extortion charge to make sure we can get on the stupid boat? (It's called a reservation.)

Do I sound bitter? It's that sense of entitlement that really frosts my socks. Every day, thousands of people put up with this nonsense because they have no other choice.

And we're supposed to be grateful?

In places like Scandinavia and Florida, they build causeways. Even Prince Edward Island has the Confederation Bridge. Do you know how many people live in P.E.I.? Exactly 141,551. Why do they have their own causeway, and the three million plus people who live in the Lower Mainland and Vancouver Island have to put up with Hahn's farcical ferry?

I know all the arguments against a causeway. But there's one in favour that trumps them all: Hahn would have to find a new job.

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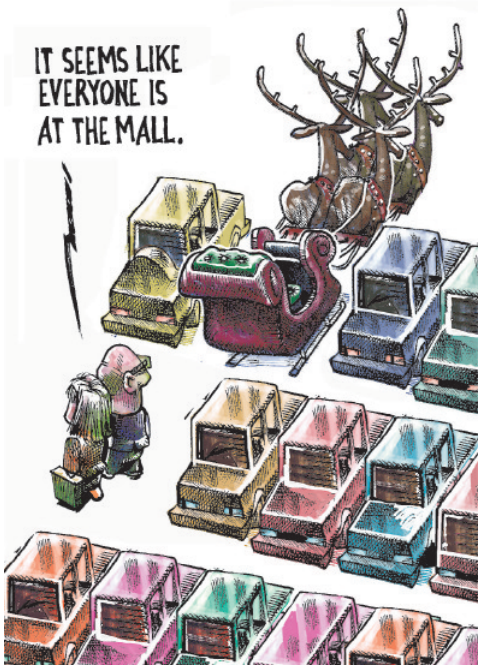

Extreme-sized creatures

Worth mentioning

Fossils of a giant stork have been discovered on a far-flung Indonesian island that has been home to many extreme-sized creatures — from tiny human-like "hobbits" and dwarf elephants to the world's largest-known rats and lizards.

Authors Hanneke Meijer and Rokus Due wrote in the December issue of the Zoological Journal of the Linnean Society that leg bones from the marabou stork, which lived 20,000 to 50,000 years ago, indicate it stood around six feet tall and weighed up to 35 pounds.

The bones were found during excavations of the Liang Bua cave in the west of the island of Flores at a depth of around 15 feet.

Flores, located on Indonesia's eastern edge, has never been connected to another island or mainland, shaping evolution of historic wildlife, with many small-sized warm blooded animals growing larger than elsewhere on the planet, and big-sized mammals becoming more diminutive, said Colin Groves, a professor at Australian National University who was not related to the study, citing the so-called "island rule" in biology.

With no mammalian carnivores, birds and reptiles faced less competition for food, accounting for some of their massive size.

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Look what the stork brought

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Metro Minute at Jewel Box of Lights

Want to check out thousands of stars without an umbrella? The Jewel Box of Lights at the Bloedel Conservatory is a good way to do so. Visitors will enjoy an array of thousands of LED lights, including magical lasers and twinkling waterfalls. They will also see hundreds of free-flying birds and get to talk with chatty parrots in the tropical garden.

The dome is open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. today and is best viewed after 4 p.m. The event runs until Jan. 2. The conservatory is located atop Queen Elizabeth Park (33rd Avenue between Cambie and Main streets). Admission is $5.35 for adults and $2.70 for kids aged six to 12.

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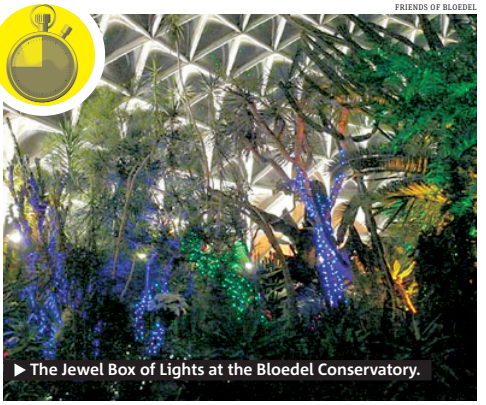

▶ The Jewel Box of Lights at the Bloedel Conservatory.

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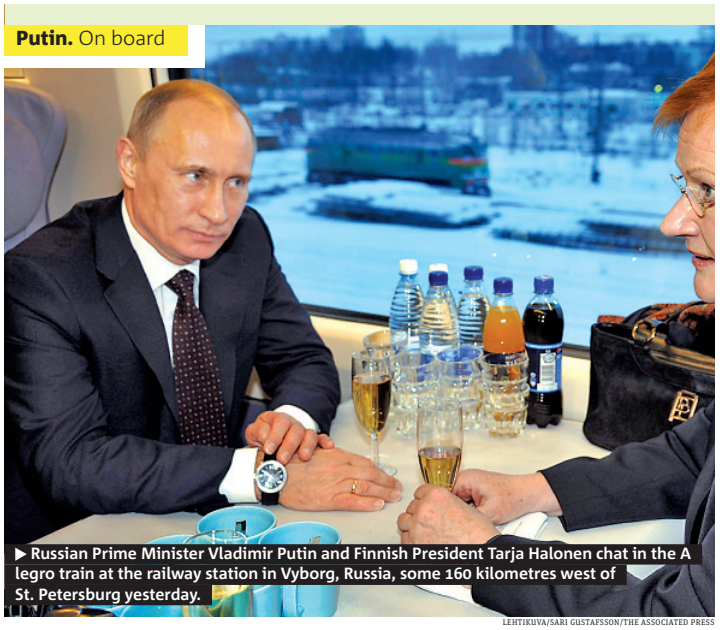

▶ Russian Prime Minister Vladimir Putin and Finnish President Tarja Halonen chat in the A legro train at the railway station in Vyborg, Russia, some 160 kilometres west of St. Petersburg yesterday.

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EU, Russia hook up at high speed

Finnish President Tarja Halonen and Russian Prime Minister Vladimir Putin inaugurated the first high-speed rail link between the EU and Russia as new trains start running between Helsinki and St. Petersburg, shortening travel time by nearly half, boosting business travel and tourism.

RIM's success falls on PlayBook

For Research In Motion, the future is all about PlayBook, the BlackBerry maker's answer to Apple's iPad, and whether it can help rejuvenate the smartphone company.

Research In Motion is expected to report strong results on Thursday, driven by international growth and improved sales in the North American market.

But, inevitably, the launch of the PlayBook early next year will be intrinsic to RIM's success in the new year and will be front and centre in any predictions made about its prospects.

"If they can lever the tablet to get back into the high end of the smartphone business, then the numbers are going to go up," telecom analyst Matthew Robison said.

The PlayBook is aimed at business users and will be used tethered to a BlackBerry, providing the same level of security for information on the tablet.

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▶ RIM's Mike Lazaridis.

RIM is also expected to debut a brand new operating system for its tablet that will be used in future smartphones.

"It has the potent of really invigorating the market for RIM products," said Robison of Wunderlich Securities Inc. in San Francisco.

If the PlayBook performs in the field as well as the demos and paper specifications suggest, then it will be a strong multimedia device that will also attract a lot of consumer interest, Robison said.

He said if RIM doesn't execute on the PlayBook, the company will likely at least hold its own and grow moderately in the coming years. Analysts expect the new BlackBerry Torch, which has both a touchscreen and slideout keyboard, will have helped to increase North American sales. "We believe North America was better than many expect, with aggressive promotions by AT&T and Verizon for the holidays," BMO Capital Markets analyst Tim Long said in a research note.

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EU, Canada talk trade

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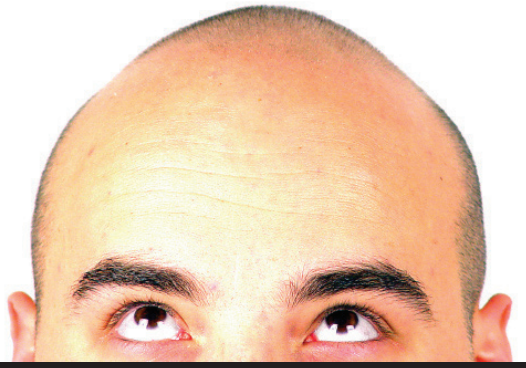

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News in brief

Performers in two overseas crime dramas won supporting-actor honours from the Los Angeles Film Critics Association, while the Facebook tale The Social Network earned two prizes yesterday. Jacki Weaver was named best supporting actress for Australia's Animal Kingdom. Niles Arestrup won for supporting actor for a Prophet. Aaron Sorkin won best screenplay for The Social Network, whose composers Trent Reznor and Atticus Ross shared the award for best musical score with Alexandre Desplat for The Ghost Writer.

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David Hasselhoff's reality show, The Hasselhoffs was cancelled after just two episodes aired

Portrait of a prince with his 'princess'

- William and Kate pose for official photos to celebrate engagement
- Same photographer took photos of Diana just before she died

Prince William and Kate Middleton look relaxed, poised and very much in love in official photos released to mark their engagement.

One of the two images by Mario Testino shows the couple, dressed in jeans and casual tops, smiling in each others' arms. The other, more formal, depicts them standing together in a state room at St. James's Palace.

The pictures, released yesterday by the prince's office, were taken by fashion photographer Testino, a royal family favourite who captured some of the most iconic images of William's late mother, Princess Diana.

Testino said the couple appeared "in their prime and brimming with happiness" when he photographed them on Nov. 25.

"I have never felt so much joy as when I see them together," he said.

The Peruvian photographer, who made his name shooting models like Kate Moss, took a series of glamorous black-and-white images of Diana that were published in Vanity Fair in 1997, shortly before her death in a Paris car crash.

William, who is second in line to the British throne, has inherited his mother's poise. In both pictures he and Middleton appear entirely comfortable with the camera and each other.

William and Middleton, both 28, announced last month that they will marry on April 29 at Westminster Abbey in London.

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▶ The two official portrait photographs taken on Nov. 25, 2010 in the Council Chamber in the State Apartment in St James's Palace, London and released by Clarence House Press Office yesterday to mark the engagement of Britain's Prince William, left, and Catherine Middleton.

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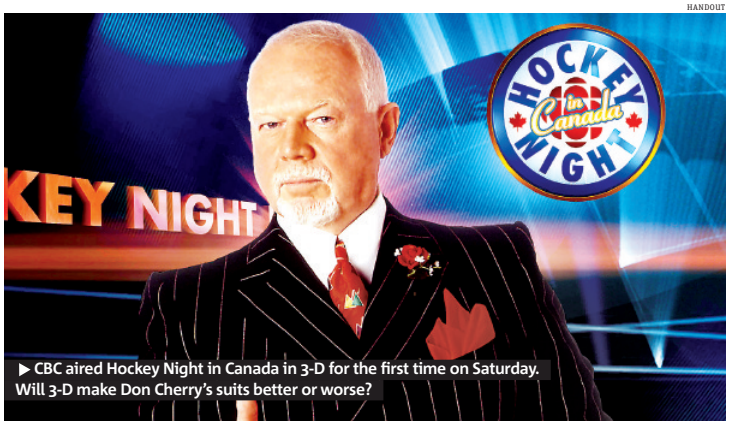

▶ CBC aired Hockey Night in Canada in 3-D for the first time on Saturday. Will 3-D make Don Cherry's suits better or worse?

CBC's 3-D hockey still has some kinks to iron out

▶ Too much hype for new technology ▶ Cameras did not always offer the best angles to watch game action

Saturday marked CBC's first foray into 3-D for Hockey Night In Canada — and unfortunately, it showed.

The Canadian Press reviewed the game with a new 3-D TV on loan from Panasonic, the sponsor of the inaugural 3-D hockey broadcast, and after several days of watching all kinds of different content and seeing how cool 3-D can look, Hockey Night in Canada was a bit disappointing.

The broadcast had its moments and the potential for using 3-D in future games was clear, but the quality of presentation was far from perfect. And CBC's nonstop shilling for the technology made it feel like an infomercial for 3-D with hockey squeezed in.

Ron MacLean was quoted as saying he thinks 3-D will have 10 times the impact high definition did, and Kelly Hrudey kicked off the show by saying, "It is the wave of the future; it's not a gimmick."

It would be one thing if the breathless gushing about the technology stopped when the puck dropped but it went on all night long, even while play was on.

Hopefully by the time CBC's next 3-D broadcast rolls around — on Feb. 20, when the Calgary Flames host the Montreal Canadiens for the outdoor Heritage Classic from McMahon Stadium — they'll just let the technology speak for itself.

Hockey fans thinking they might want to get in on the next 3-D game should know what to expect. Watching a game in 3-D isn't about sensing that pucks are coming through the screen — although you might get that feeling if a puck were to be shot straight at the camera. The real experience is the enhanced sense of depth that makes it feel like you can see deep into the screen, like looking out a window, or actually sitting in the stands at the arena.

During scrambles in front of the net there's a better sense of how players jam the outside of the crease and battle for space. The referees also had a knack for getting in the way of the shot, which actually just added to the 3-D effect. Shots from cameras positioned along the glass give an impressive view that competes with sitting rinkside. But it's not necessarily the best angle to actually follow the action — as cool as it is to see — and CBC was guilty a few times of lingering too long with angles that showed off the 3-D effect but didn't follow the play well.

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▶ Nicole Richie and Joel Madden were married over the weekend.

Richie & Madden make it official

The celeb couple was married over the weekend

After four years together — and two children — Nicole Richie and Joel Madden tied the knot this weekend at Lionel Richie's home in Los Angeles, according to People magazine.

"They wanted an Old Hollywood, glamorous feel to their wedding," a source says. "Nicole wanted a memorable, elegant affair for only their closest friends and family on their special day."

Richie reportedly managed to get bids for exclusive photos of the wedding up to $100,000 by "playing the weekly magazines against each other," a source tells Page Six.

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▶Lohan

Lohan puts her foot down

Troubled actress Lindsay Lohan reportedly didn't appreciate having to pay up for extra security at the Betty Ford Center, according to TMZ.

Sources say the clinic was charging Lohan $500 a day for additional guards, although Lohan complained that the hired muscle wasn't showing up on time for work.

After some discussion, the clinic is reportedly no longer charging her for security. METRO

Cyrus caught with bong

Miley Cyrus is growing up fast, as a video of her smoking a bong proves.

Sources tell TMZ Cyrus is smoking the legal psychedelic herb salvia in the video, which was shot by one of her friends.

"I'm having a little bit of a bad trip," Cyrus says in the video before devolving into a fit of laughter.

The video was reportedly shot at a house party. METRO

Celebrity tweets

Ryan Seacrest [@RyanSeacrest]
There's something about a sunny 90 degrees in LA that screams xmas

Kelly Osbourne [@MissKellyO]
"oh my god your so much prettier in real life" is not a compliment when you have the face of smelling something bad!!!

Elizabeth Banks [@ElizabethBanks]
Nothing worse than going for the shake, getting the "we're closer than that!" look followed by uncomfortable hug.

Talking points

Ryder's tech illiteracy

Winona Ryder insists she's far from tech-savvy.

"I don't use the Internet ..." she tells Elle magazine.

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2030: A futuristic forecast

Crime-fighting robots, 'car trains' on highways and food-sniffing aliens? An eight-year-old and a futurist imagine life in 2030 What they agree on: Space travel will be a norm

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METRO WORLD NEWS IN LONDON

Twenty years ago, nobody would have imagined smartphones, Facebook or even Google. Hybrid cars were far from reality, as was life on the International Space Station.

Are we better at predicting the future today? Metro asked eight-year-old Londoner Calder Christopher and futurist Chris Carbone to envision what our daily lives will look like in the future.

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With touch-screen computers in use, stationery may look archaic in the not-so-distant future.

Housing

Christopher: People will live in buildings that look like big temples — one section of the temple for each family.
Carbone: People will still live in the types of houses you see today, but they'll use less electricity and water. Every home will harvest its own energy as well.

Jobs

Christopher: Spaceships will fly people to outer space where they work. Aliens will smell new food to see if they're edible for humans.
Carbone: New jobs will exist in nano- and neurotechnology, areas that study how the brain interacts with things like computer devices and pharmaceuticals.

Communications

Christopher: There will be a phone that shows the person's face when someone wants to chat with them.
Carbone: Whoever you want to talk to will be instantly available. Youngsters will want to be always connected to their network, primarily using smartphones.

Transport

Christopher: Cars will fly and there will be a new way of getting around using a box you step on to that takes you places. Airplanes will be able to go into outer space.
Carbone: People will link their cars to rapid transit systems, where cars travel together at an automated speed. To make an exit, you'll just instruct the car to leave the "car train."

Schools

Christopher: Schools will look the same on the outside as today, but there will be more stuff inside the buildings. Everyone will have an iPad. It will be cool!
Carbone: Children will have a personalized digital learning record that will follow them throughout their education — in a similar fashion to people today who have to constantly updated their profile on Facebook.

Best innovations

Christopher: There will be a gadget that you'll tell, "clean my room" and he'll do it. Police will have robots that catch bad guys.
Carbone: Biometrics will be used as payment. You'll just to go a machine that will scan your retina or fingerprint. Cash machines will be obsolete.

Mom, what's a typewriter?

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METRO WORLD NEWS IN NEW YORK

Our quest for faster, simpler and smaller ways of doing things will force many of our everyday items the way of the dodo Top five list of what's on the way out

CASH

Even vending machines take credit cards now. When you don't need coins to buy a Coke while you wait for an oil change, what's the point?

DICTIONARIES

Dictionaries are really heavy. Dictionary.com is not.

WATCHES

Everybody has a cellphone. Every cellphone has a clock on it. Duh.

BOOKS

Remember books? They were those things that people used to read before the iPad appeared. They took up space and were highly flammable.

FILM

And for those who insist on using a camera that you can't also make an outgoing call from, film is a thing of the past.

3 life

The connection

Jaden & Willow Smith: kids of Will Smith & Jada Pinkett Smith

Chloe Moretz: Willow & Chloe were both nominated in an acting category at the 2008 Young Artist Awards

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Author celebrates Canadian cuisine

Feasting and Fasting gives readers a taste of what our ancestors' ate and drank ◐ Stories and recipes show how special occasions were observed

The importance of celebrations throughout Canada's history was marked Monday night when Dorothy Duncan, author of several books on the country's culinary heritage, was honoured.

The event at Toronto's Fort York National Historic Site was held to launch the culinary historian's latest book, Feasting and Fasting: Canada's Heritage Celebrations.

"Hopefully this book will make readers think about their own traditions, their own family and the things that are and were important to them."
DOROTHY DUNCAN, AUTHOR

The book is an introduction to the foods and beverages that were a central part of our ancestors' celebrations. It begins with the new year and takes readers through each calendar month.

There are stories and recipes for everything from Chinese New Year to Lent and the significance of maple syrup as the harbinger of spring.

Duncan traces the country's culinary heritage back to the 18th century when people marked Christmas, or another type of celebration, that brought family and friends together.

"The setting aside of time and the gifts of food made out of love with their own hands was paramount to our ancestors, some of whom had come from far away to colonize Canada," she said in an interview ahead of the launch.

Duncan found in her research, for example, that it was common for weddings to be held to coincide with the festive season.

"Nowadays we focus on June weddings, but in the early days, many were performed at Christmas because the families would all be gathered together," she says. "It was a convenient time to have them all around you."

Duncan, who worked as a culinary historian for Black Creek Pioneer Village in Toronto as well as the Toronto Historical Board, has spent many years collecting data for the book.

She is dedicated to working with organizations across Canada and around the world to ensure that this country's culinary history is recognized, researched and recorded.
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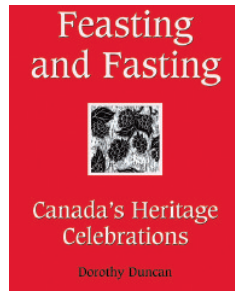

Sinful lamb a treat

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▶ This dish is sure to impress.

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- 8 noisettes of lamb or 4 lamb leg steaks

Sauce:
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- 125 g (4 oz) frozen black currants
- 10 to 15 ml (2 to 3 tsp) sugar
- 75 g (2 1/2 oz) extra creamy blue cheese, crumbled

Preparation:

1 In a large frying pan, heat oil; fry lamb for 2 to 3 minutes each side or according to taste. Remove from pan and keep warm.

2 Reduce heat and add port to pan juices with black currants and sugar. Cook for 2 to 3 minutes until syrupy.

4 Stir in cheese, allowing it to melt in the heat of the sauce, and serve over lamb. Makes 4 servings.
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Question: I found two brands of what claimed to be 100 per cent recycled toilet paper. One was much more expensive than the bigger name brand. Are all recycled paper products considered equal? Sacha, Vancouver

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Recycling water in space

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Don Pettit doesn't mind drinking his own urine — or his sweat, for that matter. Pettit is far from insane. As an astronaut, he has no choice but to drink all available fluids.

"You make water inside your body, through your breath and your sweat," explains Pettit, a veteran NASA astronaut who has lived on the International Space Station for six months. "On the ISS you capture all of that water and recycle it."

Astronauts are each allowed only 3.5 litres of water per day — for hygiene and food combined. They wash themselves using wet wipes, and so they consume 92 per cent less water on hygiene than Earth-dwellers.

Recently the ISS cut its need for water supplies by 65 per cent after installing a state-of-the-art water-recycling machine. "It captures your breath, sweat and water from damp cloths and turns it into water," says Pettit.

There's also a urine processor, which turns 80 per cent of urine into drinkable water. "You can dehydrate your breakfast and make your coffee with water from the processor," says Pettit.

Earth-dwellers may follow suit. One study shows that 75 to 85 per cent of people in Western European countries would consider using urine-diversion toilets, which allow urine to be recycled.

Radical water reuse may be more palatable than it sounds, as Pettit insists: "Recycled urine tastes like bottled water." METRO

▶ Don Pettit recycling water on the International Space Station.

Youth left behind in economic recovery

Jobless rate among young people a litmus test of job market strength **Analysts say Canada has a long way to go**

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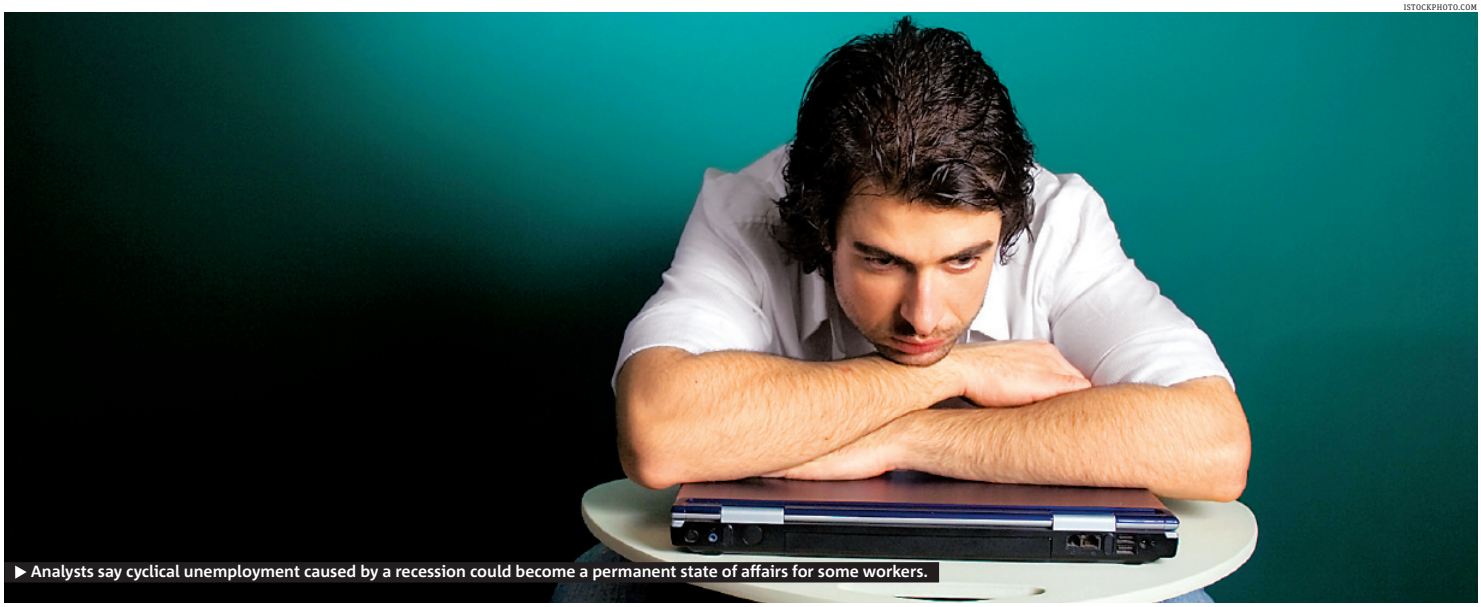

▶ Analysts say cyclical unemployment caused by a recession could become a permanent state of affairs for some workers.

Canada's falling unemployment rate is hiding an unpleasant truth — tens of thousands are leaving the labour market in frustration, and none more so than young workers.

Last week's labour force survey for November presented a distorted hall-of-mirrors picture of employment — with the jobless rate falling to a two-year low of 7.6 per cent on the strength of little job creation.

For young workers in the 15- to 24-year-old category, the picture was even more distorted.

The unemployment rate plummeted from 15 per cent to 13.6 per cent with virtually no new jobs added.

The mathematical disconnect comes about because Statistics Canada does not measure the number of workers against those who want jobs, but against those who are actively seeking work.

There have been fewer of those.

9.1% Stanford's analysis suggests if the lower participation among youth workers and those in the 25 to 54 age category are taken into account, the jobless rate would be 9.1 per cent, 1.5 per cent higher than the official rate.

Young people are leaving the labour force in droves. According to the agency, the youth participation rate is the lowest in over a decade.

What's more, while the economy has created over 440,000 jobs since the recession, there are 228,000 fewer young people employed.

Statistics Canada cannot say for certain why more young people have been leaving the workforce, although analyst Lahouaria Yssaad notes that since the numbers are not as stark in the over 20 to 24 age sub-category, many in the youngest cohort may have gone back to school.

What is obvious, however, is that young people were disproportionately left behind during the recession, and one year removed from the official start of the recovery, they are still having a difficult time re-connecting with the economy.

Bulge of boomers

As governments consider raising the retirement age, young people can't break into the market because older workers are tying up jobs, according to Canadian Auto Workers economist Jim Stanford.

Ironically, Canadians 55 and older have done the best since the recession and are the only age group that has seen the participation rate rise in the past year.

"You have a big bulge of baby boomers who have gotten into established positions, entitled to three and four weeks vacation, and young people can't find jobs," says Brian Bethune, of ISH Global Insight.

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The heart and sole of human motion

- University of Guelph researcher studying astronauts' feet
- Project aimed at helping the elderly keep balance

NASA

▶ The Space Shuttle Discovery on its way to the launch pad.

Canada's last space research project on the U.S. Space Shuttle has a down-to-earth goal: to delve into the role our feet play in keeping our balance as we age.

Known as Hypersole, the experiment began when Dr. Leah Bent of the University of Guelph learned that some astronauts experience tingling in their feet.

"On Earth, our skin sensitivity decreases as we age. One of the interesting things about the skin during space travel is that we see changes in the opposite direction: skin sensitivity may actually increase," she explains.

Funded by the Canadian Space Agency, Hypersole will help scientists better understand how the decline in skin sensitivity in our feet leads to a loss of balance — and consequently, a greater number of falls — in the elderly.

Bent will use tiny nylon filaments and a vibration device to put astronauts to the ultimate "tickle test" to see which parts of their feet become more sensitive before and after spaceflight, and how that might affect their balance.

Three astronauts have already participated in the experiment. Bent and her team will test six more before and after the last flights of the Space Shuttle in November 2010 and winter 2011.

In addition to the ageing population, Hypersole could help astronauts themselves by providing more information on how they maintain their balance while living and working in space.

When asked if she has any advice on keeping your feet and skin receptors functioning and healthy, Bent says, "My Nana is 97 and she rubs cream into the bottom of her feet every day and every night. And I tell her, that's why you're still able to walk around!

"I'm sure it helps, since there are changes in the integrity of our skin as we age. So get yourself a good bottle of cream!"

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DJs decking the airwaves with carols

It's not quite 8 a.m. but Erin Davis and Mike Cooper have already been awake for four hours.

Inside the CHFI-FM studio the chipper morning crew of Toronto's all-Christmas music station prepares to play today's "Feel Good Favourite" song request.

Usually it's an up-tempo, happy tune for people to bop along to on the way to work, but Christmas brings out more sentimentality.

A few days earlier, a mother called the station to say her teenage son was battling cancer and getting his last radiation treatment that day.

She requested his favourite Christmas song, Bing Crosby's Mele Kalikimaka, as "a big happy hug to my son for crossing the finish line."

On this day, another mother has requested Jingle Bell Rock so her two-year-old daughter can get down with the beat.

The station has been playing nothing but Christmas music since Nov. 21. And the hosts love it.

Besides a couple of stray Santa hats and a wreath on the wall the studio doesn't look particularly festive.

Hosts and producers sit around a cluster of electronics and computers with a TV and surviving VCR in a corner of the ceiling. The hosts, however, are wearing bright, Santa-red shirts.

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▶ CHFI-FM Morning Show co-hosts Erin Davis, far left, and Mike Cooper, far right.

List literacy as a resolution

This year, why not make your resolution one for lifelong learning? ABC Life Literacy Canada shows you how.

• Take a course or upgrade your skills. People with higher literacy skills earn more income, are less likely to be unemployed and are more likely to find full-time work. To find help with reading, writing and math, visit LookUnderLearn.ca.

• Exercise your mind. Challenge yourself by doing the daily crossword or Sudoku puzzle.

• Read aloud together, no matter how old you are. Reading ability is like a muscle — if you don't exercise it often, you may not be able to maintain the same level of reading ability as you age. Encourage all family members to read and discuss items from newspapers and websites to keep up-to-date on what is happening around the world.

• Write on. Keep a journal to express your thoughts and help polish your writing skills. Or, send a handwritten letter or thank you note to a friend, family member or co-worker.

• Teach kids how to save. Take time to open a savings account for your child. Consider seeding it with a few dollars and then have them put a portion of their allowance or earned money in the account. This is a great way to get them in the healthy habit of saving and thinking about achieving financial goals.

• Give the gift of words. Need inspiration for a birthday, wedding or anniversary gifts this year? Why not give magazine subscriptions, books, or make a donation to a literacy organization in your community?

• Start a book club. Spend time with some of your favourite people talking about some of your favourite characters. Go online for tips on how to get started.

• Participate in Family Literacy Day. On January 27, 2011, thousands of Canadians will take part in Family Literacy Day events in schools, libraries, literacy organizations and homes across the country. Find out how to join in at familyliteracyday.ca.

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▶ Resolve to read next year.

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DION PHANEUF, ON THE LEAFS' GAME IN CALGARY THURSDAY.

NFL gets snowed under

Snow, wind, ice, rain: December in the NFL.

Not even indoor games are safe.

Weather has played havoc with the NFL's Week 14 schedule, with the Giants' game at Minnesota already postponed from yesterday to tonight and moved to Detroit. New England's game at Chicago's Soldier Field was threatened by whiteout conditions and the field constantly needed shovelling.

The Giants never made it to Minneapolis, stranded in Kansas City after a blizzard hit the Twin Cities, causing the Metrodome roof to collapse for the fourth time, but the first time since 1983. Heavy snows also caused the previous failures.

"There were no injuries, which we're thankful for," said Bill Lester, executive director of the Metropolitan Sports Facilities Commission.

With the switch of the game to Ford Field, where the Lions were playing the Packers yesterday afternoon, the NFL said fans with tickets to that game could use their ticket for a free admission to Giants-Vikings, with no reserved seating.

The problems in Chicago were high winds that swirled around the snow. Grounds crew members shovelled off the yard lines early in the game. But the stands were nearly full for the matchup of first-place teams.

Temperature 90 minutes before kickoff was -2 C, with winds at 55 km/h gusting to 85.

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▶ Oilers goalie Devan Dubnyk, right, battles the Vancouver Canucks' Alex Burrows during third-period action in Edmonton last night.

Canucks shut down Oilers

Canucks hold Oilers to just one shot in third period ◐ Jordan Eberle breaks Luongo's shutout with just 4.5 seconds remaining in final frame

2	1
CANUCKS	OILERS

Henrik Sedin had a goal and an assist as the Vancouver Canucks won their third straight road game for the first time in over a year, defeating the Edmonton Oilers 2-1 yesterday.

Alexandre Burrows also scored for the Canucks (16-8-4), who have won six of their last eight games.

Daniel Sedin assisted on both Vancouver goals.

Jordan Eberle scored the lone goal for the Oilers (11-13-5), who have lost two of their last three but still have five wins in their last seven games.

The Canucks outshot Edmonton 32-11.

Vancouver opened the scoring just over six minutes into the first period as Daniel Sedin made a terrific pass through traffic to Burrows, who had an empty net to shoot at with Oilers starter Devan Dubnyk not able to get over in time.

The Oilers had a great chance to tie it up one minute later as Magnus Paajarvi was awarded a penalty shot after being hauled down on a break by Andrew Alberts, but Luongo was able to stop his backhand attempt.

The Canucks went up 2-0 six-and-a-half minutes into the second. Just as a power play expired, Daniel Sedin made another terrific pass through the goal crease to give bother Henrik an easy tap-in for his fifth of the year.

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	GP	W	L	OTL	SL	GF	GA	Pts	Home	Away	Last 10	Strk
d-Pittsburgh	31	21	8	2	0	101	71	44	10-5-1-0	11-3-1-0	10-0-0-0	W12
d-Washington	32	18	11	1	2	98	92	39	12-4-0-2	6-7-1-0	4-5-0-1	L6
d-Montreal	30	18	10	2	0	78	61	38	11-4-2-0	7-6-0-0	5-4-1-0	L2
Philadelphia	31	19	7	2	3	105	76	43	10-5-0-2	9-2-2-1	6-1-0-3	W2
NY Rangers	32	18	13	1	0	96	93	37	7-8-1-0	11-5-0-0	6-4-0-0	W1
Boston	28	16	8	1	3	81	56	36	7-5-1-2	9-3-0-1	5-3-1-1	L1
Tampa Bay	30	16	10	2	2	94	106	36	7-2-1-1	9-8-1-1	6-2-0-2	W1
Atlanta	30	16	11	1	2	95	88	35	9-6-0-1	7-5-1-1	8-2-0-0	W1
Carolina	28	12	12	0	4	78	87	28	6-5-0-1	6-7-0-3	3-3-0-4	W1
Buffalo	30	12	14	4	0	78	84	28	6-9-1-0	6-5-3-0	5-4-1-0	L1
Ottawa	31	13	16	1	1	68	92	28	8-8-0-1	5-8-1-0	3-6-0-1	W1
Florida	28	13	15	0	0	71	72	26	6-5-0-0	7-11-0-0	3-7-0-0	L1
Toronto	29	11	14	2	2	65	86	26	8-6-2-1	3-8-0-1	4-5-1-0	W1
New Jersey	29	8	19	1	1	53	88	18	4-7-1-1	4-12-0-0	3-7-0-0	L5
NY Islanders	27	5	17	3	2	59	93	15	3-7-1-1	2-10-2-1	1-7-2-0	L5

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	GP	W	L	OTL	SL	GF	GA	Pts	Home	Away	Last 10	Strk
d-Detroit	28	19	6	2	1	96	73	41	11-3-1-1	8-3-1-0	6-3-1-0	W2
d-Vancouver	28	16	8	2	2	91	74	36	9-3-1-1	7-5-1-1	6-3-1-0	W1
d-Dallas	29	17	10	0	2	83	80	36	11-3-0-1	6-7-0-1	7-2-0-1	L1
Anaheim	33	16	13	2	2	87	98	36	11-6-0-1	5-7-2-1	6-3-0-1	W2
Chicago	31	16	12	2	1	96	89	35	8-8-0-0	8-4-2-1	6-3-1-0	L1
Phoenix	28	14	8	4	2	81	77	34	6-4-2-2	8-4-2-0	6-3-0-1	W1
Nashville	28	14	8	4	2	71	70	34	6-1-3-2	8-7-1-0	5-2-1-2	W2
Colorado	29	15	10	4	0	101	90	34	7-4-1-0	8-6-3-0	4-3-3-0	W2
San Jose	29	15	10	4	0	88	84	34	8-4-2-0	7-6-2-0	6-4-0-0	W1
Los Angeles	27	16	10	1	0	73	65	33	11-2-1-0	5-8-0-0	4-5-1-0	L1
Columbus	28	16	11	0	1	74	76	33	8-7-0-1	8-4-0-0	4-5-0-1	W1
St. Louis	28	14	9	2	3	72	75	33	9-2-0-2	5-7-2-1	4-4-1-1	L1
Minnesota	29	13	12	1	3	71	86	30	7-6-0-2	6-6-1-1	4-4-1-1	L1
Edmonton	29	11	13	1	4	77	101	27	5-7-1-1	6-6-1-2	6-3-0-1	L1
Calgary	30	12	15	1	2	81	89	27	7-6-0-0	5-9-1-2	4-4-0-2	L2

d — division leaders ranked 1-2-3 regardless of points; a team winning in overtime or shootout is credited with two points and a victory in the W column; the team losing in overtime or shootout receives one point which is registered in the OTL (overtime loss) or SL (shootout loss) column.

Last night's results
N.Y. Rangers 7 Washington 0
Vancouver 2 Edmonton 1
Anaheim 6 Minnesota 2
Saturday's results
Toronto 3 Montreal 1
Tampa Bay 5 Vancouver 4 (OT)
Atlanta 5 N.Y. Islanders 4
Carolina 2 St. Louis 1 (SO)
Colorado 3 Washington 2
Columbus 3 N.Y. Rangers 1
Detroit 4 New Jersey 1
Minnesota 3 Los Angeles 2 (OT)
Nashville 3 Florida 0
Philadelphia 2 Boston 1 (OT)
Phoenix 5 Dallas 2
Pittsburgh 5 Buffalo 2
San Jose 2 Chicago 1 (OT)
Tonight's games
(All times Eastern)
Los Angeles at Detroit, 7 p.m.
Atlanta at Ottawa, 7:30 p.m.
N.Y. Islanders at Nashville, 8 p.m.
Chicago at Colorado, 9 p.m.
Columbus at Calgary, 9 p.m.
Dallas at San Jose, 10:30 p.m.

CANUCKS 2, OILERS 1

First Period
1. Vancouver, Burrows 5 (D.Sedin, H.Sedin) 6:12
Missed penalty shot — Paajarvi Edm, 7:13.
Penalties — None.
Second Period
2. Vancouver, H.Sedin 5 (D.Sedin, Kesler) 6:37
Penalties — Gagner Edm (holding) 4:33, Kesler Vcr (hooking) 14:14, D.Sedin Vcr (hooking) 17:27.
Third Period
3. Edmonton, Eberle 6 (Penner, Foster) 19:55 (pp)
Penalties — Samuelsson Vcr (hooking) 2:03, Gagner Edm (tripping) 9:30, Brule Edm (boarding) 13:58, Peckham Edm (high-sticking) 14:10, Kesler Vcr (slashing) 19:20.
Shots

Vancouver	9	9	14	32
Edmonton	4	7	1	12

Goal — Vancouver: Luongo (W,13-8-2)); Edmonton: Dubnyk (L,2-3-3). **Power plays (goals-chances)** — Vancouver: 0-4; Edmonton: 1-4.
Att. — 16,839 (16,839) at Edmonton.

SCORING LEADERS

	G	A	PT
Crosby, Pgh	26	25	51
Stamkos, TB	24	20	44
St. Louis, TB	11	26	37
D.Sedin, Vcr	16	20	36
Ovechkin, Wash	12	24	36
Datsyuk, Det	11	25	36
Perry, Ana	16	19	35
H.Sedin, Vcr	5	30	35
B.Richards, Dal	12	22	34
Semin, Wash	18	15	33
Backstrom, Wash	11	22	33
Getzlaf, Ana	10	22	32
Hejduk, Col	11	20	31
Sharp, Chi	17	13	30
M.Richards, Pha	11	19	30
Byfuglien, Atl	10	20	30
Heatley, SJ	13	16	29
Zetterberg, Det	10	19	29
Roy, Buf	9	20	29
Giroux, Pha	14	14	28
Eriksson, Dal	12	16	28
Neal, Dal	12	16	28
E.Staal, Car	12	16	28
P.Stastny, Col	12	16	28
Ladd, Atl	10	18	28
Selanne, Ana	10	18	28
Clowe, SJ	8	20	28
Dubinsky, NYR	14	13	27
P.Kane, Chi	11	16	27
Kopitar, LA	11	16	27
Duchene, Col	9	18	27
Havlat, Minn	7	20	27
Lucic, Bos	15	11	26
Ryan, Ana	14	12	26
Toews, Chi	13	13	26
Iginla, Cal	12	14	26
J.Williams, LA	10	16	26
Plekanec, Mtl	9	17	26
J.Thornton, SJ	7	19	26
Liles, Col	5	21	26
Letang, Pgh	5	21	26
Vanek, Buf	13	12	25
C.Stewart, Col	11	14	25
M.Koivu, Minn	6	19	25
Visnovsky, Ana	4	21	25
Nash, Clb	15	9	24
J.Carter, Pha	12	12	24
Malone, TB	9	15	24
Briere, Pha	16	7	23
Horton, Bos	11	12	23
Callahan, NYR	10	13	23
Tanguay, Cal	8	15	23

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Aree Song	67-72-71-71-73—354
a-Jessica Korda	72-72-66-69-77—356
Jimin Jeong	69-69-73-75-71—357
Danah Ford Bordner	72-76-72-70-68—358
Dewi Claire Schreefel	70-74-71-69-74—358
Pornanong Phatlum	72-66-76-70-74—358
Reilley Rankin	67-73-73-70-75—358
Jeehae Lee	71-72-74-70-72—359
Belen Mozo	68-72-72-73-74—359
Angela Oh	70-74-70-72-74—360
Nicole Hage	71-73-69-72-75—360
Pernilla Lindberg	68-77-68-76-72—361
Dori Carter	71-74-70-71-75—361
Kimberly Kim	71-78-70-73-70—362
Stephanie Sherlock	**74-74-74-68-72—362**
Mollie Fankhauser	70-71-75-73-73—362
Jennie Lee	77-73-70-68-74—362
Christel Boeljon	71-76-71-70-74—362
Sara Brown	72-73-72-71-74—362
Jin Young Pak	72-71-69-71-79—362

EARNED CONDITIONAL EXEMPTION FOR 2011 LPGA TOUR

Paola Moreno	72-74-71-69-77—363
Alison Whitaker	72-78-72-71-71—364
Tiffany Joh	73-75-71-74-71—364
Jean Reynolds	73-76-71-72-72—364
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Jenny Suh	74-71-71-70-78—364
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Allison Fouch	71-72-74-71-77—365
Jodi Ewart	79-73-69-72-73—366
Alison Walshe	71-78-72-71-74—366
Angela Buzminski	**70-77-74-70-75—366**
Amelia Lewis	72-73-74-72-75—366
Adrienne White	**71-76-70-73-76—366**
Caroline Hedwall	71-73-74-72-77—367
Jennifer Gleason	76-72-76-70-74—368
a-Harukyo Nomura	76-69-74-73-76—368
Ayaka Kaneko	69-78-70-73-78—368
Meredith Duncan	75-73-78-69-73—368
Beth Bader	74-75-73-70-76—368

FAILED TO EARN EXEMPTION

Samantha Richdale	**77-72-75-72-74—370**
Isabelle Beisiegel	**72-76-72-77-77—374**
Seema Sadekar	**77-73-74-72-82—378**

DID NOT QUALIFY FOR FINAL ROUND

Ashley Smith	**78-74-77-73—302**
Sue Kim	**78-76-75-75—304**
Kirby Dreher	**77-78-74-79—308**

AUSTRALIAN PGA

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Partial Final Round
(Note: 24 players who were on the course when play ceased due to rain will complete their final rounds today)

Marc Leishman	72-71-72-66—281
Jarrod Lyle	74-70-72-67—283
Nathan Green	71-70-73-69—283
Richard Lee	71-71-76-66—284
Bradley Smith	69-74-73-68—284
Kieran Pratt	67-76-73-68—284
Scott Strange	74-69-72-69—284
Brett Rumford	71-72-75-67—285
Stephen Dartnall	69-69-78-69—285
Rod Pampling	68-71-77-69—285
Hiroshi Iwata	70-70-75-70—285
Jordan Sherratt	69-71-75-70—285
Peter O'Malley	72-67-75-71—285
Craig Hasthorpe	72-68-74-71—285
Alistair Presnell	72-72-75-67—286
Simon Yates	71-73-73-69—286
Tetsuya Haraguchi	69-74-74-69—286
Steven Jones	69-75-71-71—286
James Nitties	67-75-74-71—287
Anthony Brown	76-68-71-72—287
Brad McIntosh	69-72-74-72—287
Michael Wright	72-69-74-72—287
Ryan Haller	69-73-72-73—287
Choi Joon-woo	70-72-74-72—288
C.J. Gatto	69-72-75-72—288
Scott Laycock	68-74-73-73—288

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	W	L	Pct	GB
d-Boston	19	4	.826	—
d-Miami	17	8	.680	3
Orlando	16	8	.667	3½
Atlanta	16	9	.640	4
New York	16	9	.640	4
d-Chicago	14	8	.636	4½
Indiana	11	11	.500	7½
Milwaukee	9	13	.409	9½
Toronto	9	15	.375	10½
Charlotte	8	15	.348	11
Philadelphia	8	15	.348	11
Cleveland	7	17	.292	12½
Detroit	7	18	.280	13
Washington	6	16	.273	12½
New Jersey	6	18	.250	13½

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	Pct	GB
d-San Antonio	20	3	.870	—
Dallas	19	4	.826	1
d-L.A. Lakers	17	7	.708	3½
d-Oklahoma City	17	8	.680	4
d-Utah	17	8	.680	4
Denver	14	9	.609	6
New Orleans	14	9	.609	6
Portland	12	12	.500	8½
Phoenix	11	12	.478	9
Memphis	10	14	.417	10½
Houston	9	14	.391	11
Golden State	8	15	.348	12
Minnesota	6	18	.250	14½
Sacramento	5	16	.238	14
L.A. Clippers	5	20	.200	16

d-division leader
Yesterday's results
New York 129 Denver 125
Philadelphia 88 New Orleans 70
L.A. Lakers 99 New Jersey 92
San Antonio 95 Portland 78
Oklahoma City 106 Cleveland 77
Orlando 94 L.A. Clippers 85
Saturday's results
Memphis 84 L.A. Clippers 83
Atlanta 97 Indiana 83
Boston 93 Charlotte 62
Toronto 120 Detroit 116
Chicago 113 Minnesota 82
Dallas 103 Utah 97
Houston 110 Cleveland 95
Miami 104 Sacramento 83
Tonight's games
(All times Eastern)
New Orleans at Miami, 7:30 p.m.
Indiana at Chicago, 8 p.m.
Portland at Memphis, 8 p.m.
Milwaukee at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.
Golden State at Utah, 9 p.m.

LEADERS

SCORING AVERAGE

	G	FG	FT	PTS	AVG
Durant, OKC	20	176	167	549	27.5
Bryant, LAL	23	210	158	608	26.4
Stoudemire, NYK	24	234	153	626	26.1
Rose, CHI	21	203	84	527	25.1
Nowitzki, DAL	23	220	115	575	25.0
Ellis, GOL	23	216	96	560	24.3
Gordon, LAC	22	171	163	535	24.3
James, MIA	25	204	167	605	24.2
Westbrook, OKC	24	192	183	575	24.0
Martin, HOU	23	147	190	533	23.2
Wade, MIA	24	194	151	554	23.1
Anthony, DEN	20	157	127	455	22.8
Williams, UTA	25	189	150	567	22.7
Howard, ORL	21	157	137	451	21.5
Bargnani, TOR	24	193	96	512	21.3
Beasley, MIN	22	190	70	468	21.3
Gay, MEM	24	196	83	508	21.2
Granger, IND	22	161	92	464	21.1
Love, MIN	24	165	131	493	20.5
Scola, HOU	23	188	89	465	20.2

Field Goal Percentage

	FG	FGA	PCT
Hilario, DEN	99	157	.631
Gasol, MEM	105	172	.610
Young, PHL	117	196	.597
Ibaka, OKC	105	180	.583
Odom, LAL	143	248	.577
Horford, ATL	179	312	.574
Howard, ORL	157	275	.571
Nowitzki, DAL	220	387	.568
McGee, WAS	89	157	.567

Not including last night's games

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

MLB

NATIONAL LEAGUE
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Traded INF Brendan Ryan to Seattle for RHP Maikel Cleto.

BASKETBALL

NBA

PHILADELPHIA 76ERS—Recalled F Craig Brackins from Springfield (NBADL).

FOOTBALL

NFL

DENVER BRONCOS—Fined CB Perrish Cox an undisclosed amount for missing meetings and practice after his arrest on Dec. 9 in an investigation into an alleged sexual assault.

HOCKEY

NHL

MONTREAL CANADIENS—Recalled LW Max Pacioretty from Hamilton (AHL). Assigned C David Desharnais to Hamilton.
ST. LOUIS BLUES—Assigned F Stefan Della Rovere and F Dave Scatchard to Peoria (AHL).
TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING—Reassigned F Marc-Antoine Pouliot to Norfolk (AHL).
WASHINGTON CAPITALS—Recalled RW Andrew Gordon from Hershey (AHL).

ECHL

ELMIRA JACKALS—Traded D Brad Miller to Trenton for future considerations.

SPEEDSKATING

WORLD CUP

At Obihiro, Japan
MEN
500
1, Joji Kato, Japan, 34.96 seconds. 2, Keiichiro Nagashima, Japan, 35.19. 3, Lee Kyou-hyuk, South Korea, 35.19. 4, Akio Ota, Japan, 35.29. **5, Jamie Gregg, Edmonton, 35.31.**
World Cup 500 Standings
1, Joji Kato, Japan, 615 points. 1, Lee Kang-seok, South Korea, 590. 3, Keiichiro Nagashima, Japan, 488. 4, Lee Hyou-hyuk, South Korea, 475. 5, Tucker Fredricks, U.S., 434.
1,000
1, Samuel Schwarz, Germany, one minute 9.98 seconds. 2, Shani Davis, U.S., 1:10.15. 3, Jan Bos, Netherlands, 1:10.17. 4, Lee Kyou-hyuk, South Korea, 1:10.28. 5, Lars Elgersma, Netherlands, 1:10.29. **Also: 9, Jamie Gregg, Edmonton, 1:10.67.**
World Cup 1,000 Standings
1, Lee Kyou-hyuk, South Korea, 402. 2, Shani Davis, U.S., 380. 3, Stefan Groothuis, Netherlands, 330. 4, Simon Kuipers, Netherlands, 290. 5, Samuel Schwarz, Germany, 253.
WOMEN
500
1, Jenny Wolf, Germany, 38.03. 2, Lee Sang-hwa, South Korea, 38.21. 3, Yu Jing, China, 38.30. 4, Nao Kodaira, Japan, 38.69. 5, Maki Tsuji, Japan, 38.81.
World Cup 500 Standings
1, Jenny Wolf, Germany, 620. 2, Lee Sang-hwa, South Korea, 570. 3, Nao Kodaira, Japan, 415. 4, Margot Boer, Netherlands, 410. 5, Heather Richardson, U.S., 304.
1,000
1, Heather Richardson, U.S., 1:17.27. 2, Nao Kodaira, Japan, 1:17.77. 3, Maki Tsuji, Japan, 1:18.29. 4, Monique Angermuller, Germany, 1:18.67. 5, Judith Hesse, Germany, 1:18.74. **Also: 8, Shannon Rempel, Winnipeg, 1:18.92.**
World Cup 1,000 Standings
1, Christine Nesbitt, London, Ont., 400. 2, Heather Richardson, U.S., 390. 3, Margot Boer, Netherlands, 260. 4, Nao Kodaira, Japan, 259. **5, Shannon Rempel, Winnipeg, 182.**

NFL

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

EAST

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
x-New England	11	2	0	.846	415	276
N.Y. Jets	9	4	0	.692	273	242
Miami	7	6	0	.538	225	244
Buffalo	3	10	0	.231	256	339

SOUTH

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Jacksonville	8	5	0	.615	295	331
Indianapolis	7	6	0	.538	347	318
Houston	5	7	0	.417	288	321
Tennessee	5	8	0	.385	291	265

NORTH

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Pittsburgh	10	3	0	.769	290	198
Baltimore	8	4	0	.667	260	201
Cleveland	5	8	0	.385	235	252
Cincinnati	2	11	0	.154	262	345

WEST

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Kansas City	8	5	0	.615	295	268
San Diego	7	6	0	.538	354	253
Oakland	6	7	0	.462	314	307
Denver	3	10	0	.231	269	376

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

EAST

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Philadelphia	9	4	0	.692	374	308
N.Y. Giants	8	4	0	.667	308	247
Washington	5	8	0	.385	238	310
Dallas	4	9	0	.308	321	366

SOUTH

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Atlanta	11	2	0	.846	335	243
New Orleans	10	3	0	.769	330	240
Tampa Bay	8	5	0	.615	260	267
Carolina	1	12	0	.077	164	338

NORTH

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Chicago	9	4	0	.692	253	228
Green Bay	8	5	0	.615	306	189
Minnesota	5	7	0	.417	227	253
Detroit	3	10	0	.231	285	309

WEST

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Seattle	6	7	0	.462	261	329
St. Louis	6	7	0	.462	245	268
San Francisco	5	8	0	.385	243	280
Arizona	4	9	0	.308	243	351

x — clinched playoff berth.

WEEK 14

Yesterday's results
Arizona 43 Denver 13
Atlanta 31 Carolina 10
Buffalo 13 Cleveland 6
Detroit 7 Green Bay 3
Jacksonville 38 Oakland 31
Miami 10 N.Y. Jets 6
New England 36 Chicago 7
New Orleans 31 St. Louis 13
Pittsburgh 23 Cincinnati 7
San Diego 31 Kansas City 0
San Francisco 40 Seattle 21
Tampa Bay 17 Washington 16
Philadelphia 30 Dallas 27
N.Y. Giants at Minnesota (ppd., snow and stadium problems)
Thursday's result
Indianapolis 30 Tennessee 28
Tonight's games
(All times Eastern)
N.Y. Giants vs. Minnesota (at Detroit), 7:20 p.m.
Baltimore at Houston, 8:30 p.m.

WEEK 15

Thursday, Dec. 16
San Francisco at San Diego, 8:20 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 19
Kansas City at St. Louis, 1 p.m.
Washington at Dallas, 1 p.m.
Houston at Tennessee, 1 p.m.
Arizona at Carolina, 1 p.m.
Philadelphia at N.Y. Giants, 1 p.m.
Detroit at Tampa Bay, 1 p.m.
Cleveland at Cincinnati, 1 p.m.
Buffalo at Miami, 1 p.m.
Jacksonville at Indianapolis, 1 p.m.
New Orleans at Baltimore, 1 p.m.
Atlanta at Seattle, 4:05 p.m.
Denver at Oakland, 4:15 p.m.
N.Y. Jets at Pittsburgh, 4:15 p.m.
Green Bay at New England, 8:20 p.m.
Monday, Dec. 20
Chicago at Minnesota, 8:30 p.m.

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▶ Georges St-Pierre lands a left to the chin of Josh Koscheck.

Georges does it again

- St-Pierre delivers another resounding win at UFC 124 in Montreal
- Fighter may eventually move up in weight to face Anderson Silva

Georges St-Pierre has defended his UFC welterweight title five times, won his last eight fights and not lost a round in his last seven bouts.

He is close to cleaning out the 170-pound division in the UFC, leaving a line of top contenders in his wake.

On Saturday night at UFC 124, the 29-year-old from Montreal added to his legacy by defeating Josh Koscheck for a second time, laying a comprehensive five-round beating on the brash American before a record North American mixed martial arts crowd of 23,152 at the Bell Centre.

Just as he did to Koscheck's training partner Jon Fitch at UFC 87, he sent Koscheck home with a battered face and a broken dream.

"He picked Josh Koscheck apart," said UFC president Dana White.

"I thought he fought a beautiful fight against a guy who I have a lot of respect for," he added.

But St-Pierrre's biggest accomplishment at UFC 124 may have been to truly put mixed martial arts on the map in Canada.

Saturday's card, the UFC's fifth in Canada, drew unprecedented attention from domestic mainstream media. The storyline of the classy champion and the trash-talking American attracted a lot of new eyes to the sport, as did White's calculating insistence that GSP was more famous worldwide than Wayne Gretzky or any other Canadian athlete ever.

"My game doesn't rely on chance. I don't gamble when I fight. I try to put all the odds on my side."
GEORGES ST-PIERRE

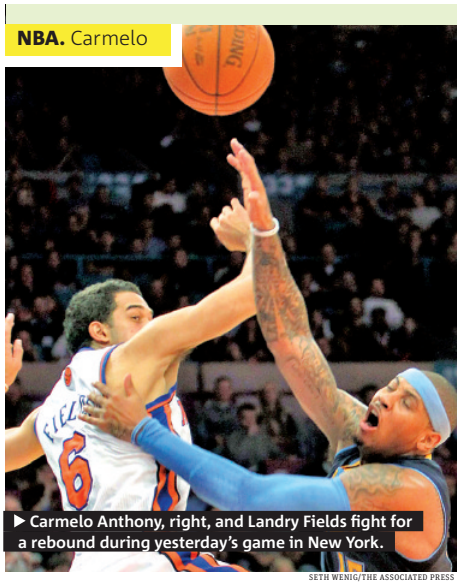
And UFC 124 set the stage for the UFC's foray into Toronto — set for April 30 at the Rogers Centre. St-Pierre said he's up for fighting there, if needed by the UFC.

Jake Shields is next up for St-Pierre. After that, there's a Help Wanted sign for welterweight contenders.

A super-fight with middleweight champion Anderson Silva is a possibility, although White offered little on that.

"I truly believe that my job is to give people the fight that they want to see, the fight they want to pay for. We'll see what happens."
THE CANADIAN PRESS

NBA. Carmelo



▶ Carmelo Anthony, right, and Landry Fields fight for a rebound during yesterday's game in New York.

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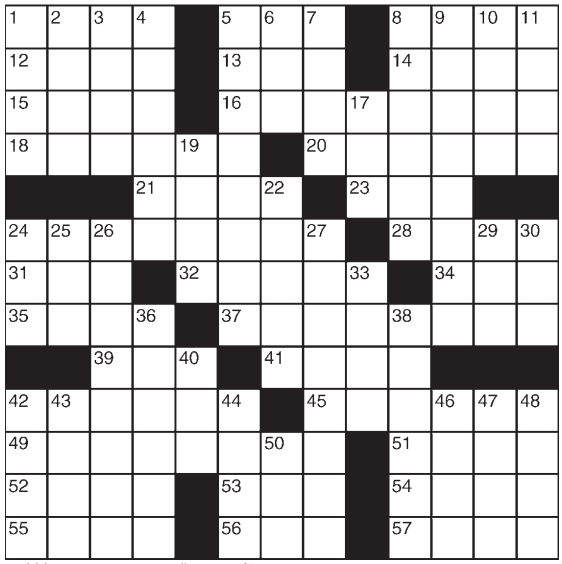
Anthony wants deal

Carmelo Anthony wants his money, even if he's not saying where he wants it. Anthony made clear yesterday the importance of a contract extension, which he's thus far refused to sign with the Denver Nuggets. He also said he doesn't think the Nuggets would trade him somewhere he wouldn't accept one. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Crossword



Across

1 Reveille's opposite
5 Sindbad's bird
8 Reach by telephone
12 Urban disturbance
13 Altar affirmative
14 Lotion additive
15 Smell
16 MySpace alternative
18 Import duty
20 Tweaks
21 Auto-making pioneer
23 Individual
24 King, queen or jack
28 Pinnacle
31 Listener
32 Beatles' "— Fine"
34 Anger
35 Caprice
37 Hockey goalie's protection
39 Bill
41 Roman 1,052
42 In the same place (Lat.)
45 "Gilligan's —"
49 Lying prone
51 Stead
52 Woman in Germany
53 That woman
54 Paradise
55 Shrill bark
56 Turf
57 Cincinnati team

Down

1 Jog
2 Verdi opera
3 Indigent
4 Bitter discord
5 Rabble
6 Harem room
7 Imogene of old TV
8 Poolside hut
9 Baldness
10 Swag
11 Albanian money
17 Tokyo's old name
19 Points of convergence
22 Night vision?
24 A mere handful
25 "That feels so-o-o good"
26 Fault-finding
27 Just said no
29 Wife's address
30 "A mouse!"
33 Hawaiian garlands
36 Improvised
38 "King of the Road" singer Roger
40 Foundation
42 Uncertain
43 Exposed
44 Rolling stone's lack
46 Staffer
47 Require
48 Presses for payment
50 Personal question?

▶ Yesterday's answer

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Sudoku

	6		4			1		
2			1					8
		8		3	5			9
		7		4	1			5
1			3	2		7		
7			8	6		2		
3					4			7
		6			9		8	

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Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

Yesterday's answer ▶

4	6	9	3	7	5	1	2	8
7	8	3	2	1	4	6	5	9
5	1	2	9	8	6	3	7	4
3	2	7	4	6	8	5	9	1
1	5	4	7	3	9	8	6	2
6	9	8	1	5	2	4	3	7
2	3	6	8	4	7	9	1	5
9	4	1	5	2	3	7	8	6
8	7	5	6	9	1	2	4	3

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A

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ONA

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Today's horoscope

♈ Aries March 21-April 20 If there is something of a creative nature that needs to be finished you had better get on with it quickly. Be confident. Be adventurous. Take risks.

♉ Taurus April 21-May 21 You must get tough and let certain people know that the free ride is over. You have done more than enough for them, now they must do something for you.

♊ Gemini May 22-June 21 Don't listen to those who say you should play safe. There may be an element of danger involved in what you are planning but what fun would life be if everything was a sure thing? Risk is what keeps you looking so young.

♋ Cancer June 22-July 22 Follow your instincts today, no matter how illogical they may seem, you might just land yourself a winner. You've been too timid of late and it's time to take a few chances.

♌ Leo July 23-Aug.23 You may be finding it hard to put your thoughts into words but your communication skills will improve over the next few days. Make sure you know what's happening on the work front.

♍ Virgo Aug. 24- Sept. 22 Something you have been struggling with for quite some time will come easier today, making you glad you did not give up on it when the going was tough. Better days are coming.

♎ Libra Sept. 23-Oct. 23 If you need inspiration as the week begins you are more likely to get it from other people than from inside your own head. Listen carefully to what friends and work colleagues have to tell you.

♏ Scorpio Oct. 24-Nov. 22 Others will say nice things about you today, which in turn will boost your confidence and make you determined to do well, both for them and for yourself.

♐ Sagittarius Nov. 23-Dec. 21 There is no point feeling sorry for yourself just because a few things have gone wrong. Each day is a new beginning, remind yourself of that fact often today.

♑ Capricorn Dec. 22-Jan. 20 You are worrying about a mistake you made in the distant past. Why? What's done is done and cannot be undone. Live in the now.

♒ Aquarius Jan. 21-Feb. 18 There may be a certain tension in the air as the new week begins but don't let it worry you. Others are well aware how much they depend on you so a parting of the ways is unlikely.

♓ Pisces Feb. 19-March 20 You seem reluctant to give up a viewpoint that has gone out of fashion. Do you know something that no one else does, or are you too stubborn to change with the times? Whatever the reason give it some thought today. SALLY BROMPTON

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